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## LIFE LEAVES.

BY THE LATE JUDGE GAYLORD C. CLARK.  
The day, with its sandals dipped in dew,  
Has passed through the evening's golden  
gates.

And a single star in the cloudless blue  
For the rising moon in silence waits;

While the winds that sigh to the languid hours

A full breath of the scented flowers.

The hills are still to the sound of the stream

That winds along with lulling flow,

And either awake, or half-a-dream,

I pass through the realms of long ago;

While faces peer with many a smile

From the bowers of memory's magic aisle.

There are joys and sunshine, sorrows and tears,

The cheery sun of life's April hours,

And a smiling world for the fairest

That hope ever wreathes with the fairest  
flowers.

There are friendships gallant—loves as bright

As the sun in the halo of night.

There are sorrows, miseries, mishaps,

And buried hopes, and a broken crew,

And an aching heart by the reckless mate,

And the sea breeze fanning a pallid pall,

And a wanderer on the shell-lined shore,

Leaving for voices that speak no more.

There are passions strong and ambitions wild,

And the fierce desire to stand in the van

Of the world, and the spirit of the child

Is crushed in the breast of the struggling  
man.

But short the regret, and few are the tears,

That fall at the tomb of the vanished face.

There are quiet and peace, and domestic love,

And joys arising from the truth,

And the quietness of a safe home.

The passionate dreams of ardent youth;

And kisses of children on lip and cheek,

And the parent's bliss, which no tongue can  
speak.

There are loves once lost! There are little

In the distant dell, "Nature's protecting trees,

And the streamlet winds, and the violet  
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And the blossoms away to the sighing breeze;

And the mourn for pressure of tender lips,

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JO. B. ROGERS, Editor and Proprietor

FRIDAY, JULY, 20, 1894.

### Democratic Ticket.

FOR COUNTY JUDGE.  
We are authorized to announce  
E. T. WILLIAMS

As the Democratic nominee for County Judge of Ohio county. Election, November 6, 1894.

### Republican Ticket.

ELECTION, NOV. 6.  
For Appellate Judge—B. L. D. Guffy.  
For County Judge—John P. Morton.  
For Sheriff—Cal. P. Keown.

For County Clerk—D. M. Hocker.  
For County Attorney—E. P. Neal.

For Assessor—N. C. Daniel.

For Jailer—John W. Black.

For Surveyor—G. S. Fitzhugh.

For Coroner—G. C. Westerfield.

MAGISTRATES:

Hartford—A. S. Aull.

Rosine—C. L. Woodward.

Cromwell—John B. Wilson.

Fordsville—

Buford—

CONSTABLE:

Hartford—Hosea Shown.

Rosine—Thomas Allen.

Cromwell—R. B. Martin.

Fordsville—

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ALTHOUGH the election of a Senator from this District is more than twelve months in the future yet the interest which is already being felt everywhere in the great campaign of next year renders it necessary for the people to begin to cast about for a successor to the Hon. C. S. Taylor, who drew a short term. By reason of the custom which has for so long obtained among us, it is Muhlenberg's turn to furnish the next Senator. And while it is neither the province nor the desire of the Republican to say one word against the candidacy of any of Muhlenberg's noble and gifted sons, yet on a calm survey of the field the only logical conclusion is that the talented Dr. A. D. James, of Peurord, is the proper man for the place. He possesses undoubted ability as a statesman; has served his party and the people of his county and State with honor and satisfaction, and is with a man of great worth in every respect, one who would fill the position with credit to himself and constituency. His candidacy would meet the hearty approval of Ohio county Republicans, and owing to the fact that in the face of the earnest solicitations of friends, he refused to enter the race for Congress in the Third District, his cause would no doubt be doubly strong in Butler and his home county, of Muhlenberg.

THE REPUBLICAN always was ahead of its contemporaries but more especially ahead of the *Courier-Journal*, ostensibly published daily at Louisville, Jefferson county, Ky., is undisputed, a recent instance serving merely to indicate the well known fact. Last Friday's REPUBLICAN appeared announcing, thirty-six hours before the Muhlenberg Convention, the man who would carry the instructions in the race for the Republican nomination for Appellate Judge. Thirty-six hours after the Convention had instructed in accordance with THE REPUBLICAN forecasts, or three days after our paper was issued, the *Courier-Journal* came out stating the Muhlenberg Convention "had gone the other way," and it took that slow going sheet until Tuesday of this week to give its readers an item published in THE REPUBLICAN four days before. If it is true, as it appears from the above facts, that THE REPUBLICAN, published once a week, is four days ahead of the *C.J.*, published seven times a week, how far ahead would we be if the *C.J.* issued only once and THE REPUBLICAN seven times a week? Let the *C.J.* answer within the century, and at once order THE REPUBLICAN for its reporters that they may keep up with the times—only \$1.25, in advance.

THE Leitchfield Convention was a very interesting and enthusiastic one, resulting in the nomination of Judge B. L. D. Guffy, of Butler county, for Judge of the Court of Appeals by acclamation. The hearty applause which followed the nomination was evidence that though the members of the convention may have differed as to who should be the nominee, yet after he was named all joined in the universal good feeling, and the determination to make a strong fight all along the line in the coming campaign.

THE letter the Hon. John Feland addressed to the chairman of the Leitchfield convention, and which was read before the convention, was a very able statement of the political issues of the day, and in every way worthy of the able and distinguished man who penned it.

PROF. JOHN C. WILLIS, the gentle man who conducts the Institute next week, writes Supt. Rogers that he will arrive in Hartford in time for the opening Monday morning. Let every teacher do the same.

JUDGE B. L. D. Guffy, the Republican nominee for Judge of the Court of Appeals, is a man of marked ability both as an Attorney and a Jurist. His sturdy honesty and eminent qualifications will everywhere beget that respect and confidence so necessary to be possessed by those men who are entrusted with the sacred liberty lodged with the Judiciary.

EVERY teacher should come to the Institute next week determined to spend the time so well that he will be able to teach a better school by reason of the week's work.

THE Hon. C. U. McElroy was yesterday nominated for Congress in the Third District by the Democratic Convention at Scottsville.

MR. G. W. LONG is a model presiding officer as all who attended the Leitchfield Convention will testify.

THE Commercial Club is a good business thermometer.

A Timely Suggestion.  
[KENTUCKY LEADER.]

In 1895 there will be a campaign for State officers in Kentucky. In nearly every Republican weekly we find an expression of opinion in favor of this or that candidate for Governor. Nothing is said about the balance of power.

It is then a matter of wonder that the labor unions, which made Democratic Administration possible, finding themselves victorious in a false theory and still more false leaders by which wages are reduced one-half and with one-half of their number thrown out of employment, should grow restless and turbulent and wreak vengeance on the authors of their misfortunes?

Mr. Cleveland should handle the Debs' and Coxey's with care, as they are creatures of his party. Cleveland's troops may quell the riots, but they cannot quell the fiery spirit his famous message has kindled in the minds of his followers. The return of the Republican party to power and with its policy of giving full employment at remunerative wages to all the laborers in the land, which will occur as fast as our electoral system will admit, will be the oil upon the troubled waters.

In the meantime we shall watch the swells of the wind reap the whirlwind.

ing hardship and ruin, not only to strikers themselves, but to their employers also, and most all, that body of citizens known as the American farmer, who have no ends which these undeserved hardships will serve. Such is the bitter truth that long years of Democratic poisonous sophistry has brought forth.

Could the Republican party have allayed this? We think not. Nothing short of Democratic ascendancy in the National Government, which happily occurred in November '92, could have fully demonstrated the hollow shams and promissory frauds of the inconsistent claims, and groundless charges, which it had inflamed the popular mind with the spirit of anarchy and resistance to established authority.

Is the culmination of this spirit of unrest, developing the Debs', the Coxey's and the Kelleys, a mere coincidence with a Democratic Administration? or are there facts that would establish a relation between them?

The abandoning of the Free Trade theory and the adoption of the much denounced doctrine of protection in the Wilson makeshift, coupled with the abandoning of the State Bank issue, is but a sickly confession of the insincerity of the Chicago platform.

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Whether Pasteur and Koch's peculiar modes of treatment will ultimately prevail or not, their theory of blood-contamination is the correct one, though not original. It was on this theory that Dr. J. C. Ayer, of Lowell, Mass., nearly fifty years ago, for mated Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Educate the People is the Watchword.  
[TOLEDO BLADE.]

When we believe wholly and entirely in a principle, we are prone to think that other people will, as soon as it is brought to their attentive consideration, also believe in it and act on that belief—or that, if they oppose it, it is from sinister and interested motives, rather than from sincere disbelief. Unconsciously, no doubt, but quite certainly, this attitude of mind has had much to do with the effort to force the question of prohibition into the arena of politics.

It is perfectly clear to us that work must proceed on the educational line, by bringing men first to a realizing knowledge of the evils of the Rum traffic; and, second, by convincing them that these evils can not be remedied so long as that traffic continues. That is the work that needs doing; that is the line on which every energetic should be spent.

Probably the first word that rises to the lips of a prohibitionist who has read thus far, is: "But an educational campaign will take so much time!"

And all the while men are being ruined, body and soul, through the continuance of the traffic! We must reach prohibition more quickly!" Ah, would that we might, brother! But how can it be reached otherwise? Are we to go on fighting hopeless battles year by year? How long will it take to reach prohibition by that line, good friend?

The Blade knows perfectly well that so long as the saloon exists men will fail its victims. We know that the longer it exists the stronger the Rum Power intrenches itself. Hence, wherever there is a state which has only a minority of Prohibitionist, we are in favor of any measure that will curb the Rum Power, and which regulates the traffic, no matter what it is. We favor high license rather than the untaxed saloon and free whisky. We prefer prohibition to license, but if we can not have prohibition, we are willing to take license until we get strong enough to abolish the saloon entirely.

And to become strong enough, a majority of the voters must be convinced that the saloon is an evil, the cause of poverty, misery, vice and crime, and that these results can not be avoided so long as the cause exists, and that the only way to remove the cause is to prohibit the manufacture and sale of rum. The friends of the saloon are the friends of the people of the laborer against his employer and kindled a spirit of senseless antagonism of labor against capital, which will require time as well as wisdom to subdue. But in the meantime the more fiery and impatient agitators, growing tired of Democratic reverses, cut loose from the present stock and organized the Populist movement, which with its visionary and impracticable schemes has but served to widen the breach between capital and labor by spreading anew the inflaming dogmas of Democratic doctrine that the masses were being robbed for the benefit of the classes.

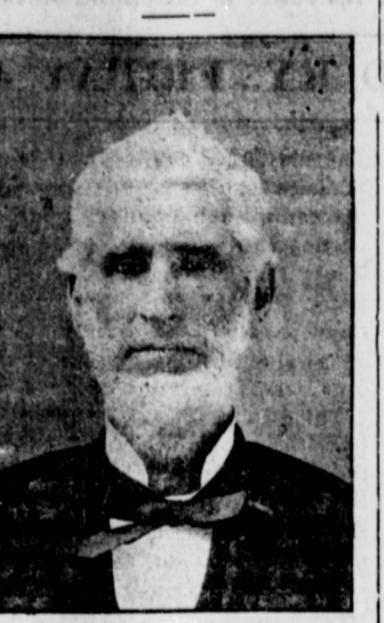
It is useless to recount the lawless demonstrations which are terrorizing most American cities and work-

## AT LEITCHFIELD.

The Republicans of the Second and Appellate District Meet in the Grayson Capital.

They Hold an Enthusiastic Convocation and Nominate Judge B. L. D. Guffy, of Morgantown.

MUCH ENTHUSIASM AND ORATORY.



JUDGE B. L. D. GUFFY.

Pursuant to call, the Republicans of the Second Appellate District of Kentucky met in Convention at Leitchfield on Wednesday July, 18th. The Convention was called to order at 1:30 by Chairman W. S. Taylor, who called upon Rev. E. L. Sheppard to lead in prayer. After a feeling prayer the Chairman made a ringing speech, mentioning the fact that this was the first time in thirty years that the Republicans had met to nominate a candidate for Appellate Judge. Then announced the selection of temporary officers as follows: G. W. Long as temporary Chairman; Jo. B. Rogers, of Muhlenberg, Temporary Secretary. On motion of A. D. James, of Muhlenberg, seconded by N. T. Howard, of Morgantown, the Chair appointed the Committee on Credentials as follows: A. D. James, Muhlenberg; N. T. Howard; Butler; V. B. Burton; Breckenridge; W. A. Gibson, of Ohio and J. K. Shaver, of McLean. Motion was then made that a Committee of three be appointed on Organization. A substitute was offered for a member from each county. Substitute was defeated and original motion carried.

C. M. Barnett, of Ohio; M. J. Roark, of Muhlenberg; E. S. Lamastus, of Butler, Committee on Permanent Organization.

While the Committee were

preparing their report a call was made for John Feland, Jr. to make a speech.

This he did creating much enthusiasm by his eloquence and sound doctrine.

Committee on Credentials reported as follows: Allen County is not represented. Butler county is represented by W. S. Taylor, S. H. Fleener, J. W. Day, E. Neal, T. Howar, F. M. Embrey and others.

Cumberland county by Dr. W. Godfrey Hunt; Breckenridge county by John P. Haswell, Jr., Willis Dockery, and Jessie Eskridge and others.

Daviess county by Franks, Feland, Kimbley and Mahan. Todd county by proxy—John Feland, Jr.

Ohio county by I. C. Adair and others.

Warren county by proxy—W. S. Taylor.

Simpson county by Jas. Henry.

Hancock county by Dan Keown and J. S. Fuqua.

Grayson county by G. W. Long.

Dan O'Kiley and others.

McLean county by Dr. A. D. James, M. J. Roark, W. P. Scott and D. J. Flemming.

Monroe county by proxy—G. W. Long.

Lyon county by W. H. Lawrence.

Committee on permanent organization reported as follows:

Your committee on permanent organization reported that the temporary organization be made the Permanent organization.

Respectfully submitted,

C. M. BARNETT,

M. J. ROARK,

E. S. LAMASTUS,

Committee.

On motion the chair appointed the following committee on resolutions:

J. B. Rogers, Ohio; J. W. Mahan, Meade; Fred Meredith, Edmonson;

E. S. Smith, Davies; A. D. James, Muhlenberg.

While the committee was preparing their report Hon. E. T. Franks was called for a speech, which he made with a right good will!

The committee on resolutions announced ready, and made the following report, which was adopted:

We, the Republicans of the Second Appellate District of Kentucky, in convention assembled, would

Resolve, That we endorse the call under which this convention is held.

Resolved, That we reaffirm the principles of the Republican party as enunciated in the platform adopted at the Minneapolis convention in 1892.

Resolved, That its history, of which we are justly proud, is one of fidelity to the best interests of the Nation, and is a guarantee of what may be expected in the future.

Resolved, That the Republican party stand pledged to the protection of American labor and American industries.

Resolved, That we invite comparison of the prosperous administration of ex-President Harrison with the present administration.

Resolved, That we heartily welcome the large class of intelligent voters who are daily turning to the Republican party, which has shown itself capable of enforcing a well-defined policy conducive to the greatest interests of the country.

Signed by the committee.

The report of the committee on resolutions was adopted.

A motion was made and carried to proceed with the nominations. Mr. J. P. Haswell, of Breckinridge, made a rousing speech and placed in nomination the Hon. B. L. D. Guffy, of Butler county, seconded by the Hon. W. S. Taylor, of Butler.

S. R. Smith, of Daviess county, read a long letter from John Feland, declining to allow his name before the convention.

E. T. Franks then moved to make the nomination of Judge Guffy unanimous by acclamation, and by a rising vote. Endorsed W. O. Bradley for Governor, and Wm. McKinley for

President.

A motion was made to appoint a committee to notify Hon. B. L. D. Guffy of his nomination. He was introduced by John Feland, Jr., and made a speech of acceptance, the tenor of which clearly defined his position, and he promised to carry to success the party in November. A motion to thank the officers for their fairness, by E. T. Franks, and seconded by John Feland, was carried, and a motion was carried to adjourn.

G. W. LONG, Chairman.

WILLIAM P. SCOTT,

JO. B. ROGERS,

Secretaries.

LEITCHFIELD, KY., July 18, 1894.

Hon. DAVID R. MURRAY.

Democrat for Congress from this Congressional District, will address the citizens of Ohio county at the following times and places: Hartford, July 23, 2 p.m.; Bu-

ford, July 23, 8 p.m.; Cromwell, July 24, 2 p.m.; Beaver Dam, July 24, 8 p.m.

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Postmaster Griffin has planted a full grown gatting gun in the post office and says he proposes to lose no more fair deputies by matrimony.

Miss Lula E. Johnson left last Monday for Lebanon and Danville, where she will spend several weeks visiting friends and relatives, after which she will go to Princeton to live.

Mr. J. H. Westerfield, living on the Riley farm on the Beaver Dam road, lost his stables and a large quantity of hay by fire on Wednesday last. Loss from \$500 to \$700.

Miss Lula Walker, the efficient stenographer for Taylor & McHenry, Attorneys, is again at her work after a few weeks vacation spent at her home in the county and in visiting Henderson and other points.

Mr. C. W. Hesson, a rising young preacher well known and quite popular in Hartford has just returned from Greencastle, Ind., where he has been attending school the past two years. He is at Leitchfield. He will spend another year at Greencastle before graduating.

Mr. Harrison Newcomb, a prominent citizen, of the Clear Run neighborhood, died at his home on the 13th and on Saturday at his own request was buried on the home farm. He was a true, conscientious man, a good neighbor and an obliging friend. Peace to his ashes.

Prof. F. M. Petty is happy and don't you forget it. It is a ten-pound boy of course born on the 14th inst. He's a fine fellow save his politics and of a very pronounced and aggravated form. His name is Carlisle Petty and the Honorable Secretary of the Treasury owes him a horse, saddle and bridle.

Last Saturday night was the regular meeting of Cromwell Lodge No. 420, F. and A. M., at Beaver Dam, and a very interesting session was held. The following visiting brethren were in attendance: L. F. Reid, W. A. Bell, J. G. Williams, John P. Bennett, O. T. Hines, Walter Russell, Rockport Lodge No. 312; A. C. Ellia, L. M. Render, J. B. Rogers, G. B. Likens, W. N. Stephens, Hartford Lodge No. 675; W. H. Thomas, L. M. Cox Lodge No. 327; L. F. Hudson, Adams Lodge No. 513; Arkansas: Nathan Anderson, Baker Lodge No. 129, Westpoint; D. Gammons, Garfield Lodge No. 63.

Prof. J. C. Cardwell, of the Greenville Normal, Greenville, Ky., and S. C. Stevens, of Beaver Dam have been employed to teach the Vine Grove High School, at Vine Grove, Hardin county. These young men are excellent teachers and their many friends wish them much success.

For Stationery call on Williams & Bell.

All sorts of good things to eat at W. G. Hardwick's.

Miss Corinne Cox returned from Pleasant Ridge Wednesday.

W. G. Hardwick will deliver goods to any part of the city. Try him.

Quarterly court has been in session this week with only a moderately heavy docket.

W. H. Williams wants 150 GALLONS of Fresh Blackberries early TUESDAY MORNING, July 24th.

Arrangements have been made for a game of ball to-morrow between Leitchfield and the county team at the Fair Grounds. The visitors will have a very strong team and a lively game is expected.

Misses Dora E. Gibson and Sara Collins returned yesterday from the National Educational Association at Asbury Park, N. J. They visited Washington, New York, Albany, Niagara Falls and other points of interest and report a delightful trip.

The meeting at Washington M. E. Church closed Wednesday night with 19 conversions, 5 reclamations, 14 accessions to the Church. Rev. Perryman reports the church much revived. He will begin a protracted meeting at No Creek Church to-night and a great revival of religion is expected.

On next Sunday at 11 o'clock Rev. J. H. Teel begins his work as the regular pastor of the Christain church at this place. Services will be held on the fourth Sunday in each month, morning and evening. Rev. Teel is a rising young minister both able and popular and our people will welcome him in his coming and support him in his labor.

**The City of Silence.**

In accordance with a suggestion made by Capt. S. K. Cox, at the meeting of the Commercial Club last Friday night, a resolution was framed requesting the citizens of this town to meet at the Hartford cemetery on yesterday to clean off and beautify the grounds.

The ladies were requested to furnish dinner, and the citizens who could not attend in person to send a hand. Capt. Cox was appointed to make necessary arrangements. He brought the matter directly to the minds of the people, and on yesterday morning a large crowd of citizens met at the cemetery and spent the day in beautifying the grounds. The ladies furnished a bountiful dinner, and the day was spent pleasantly and resulted in placing our "city of the dead" in good condition. Naturally the grounds are among the most beautiful in this part of the country, and with a little enterprise like that manifested in putting the present work into operation and carrying it to completion would make Oakwood one of the prettiest cemeteries in the Green river country.

The Commercial Club suggested the name of Oakwood, which has been adopted and an arch bearing the name erected over the gate. Here of late Superintendent May has done some valuable work in making the fence more secure, in grading and in other ways improving the place.

Now, a good thing would be to meet regularly through the year at proper intervals and carry out the good work so well inaugurated yesterday.

**CENTERTOWN.**

July 18.—Orville Ross, who has been right sick with something like typhoid fever, is improving.

Misses Sudie and Nettie Anderson, Kinderhook, visited Misses Ida and Estella Stroud last Saturday.

Miss Florence White, Hartford, is visiting relatives here and at the Point.

Miss Minnie Rowe, Spring Lick, is visiting relatives at this place.

Misses Etta Thomas and Fannie Render, Hartford, are visiting Misses Ada and Bee Brown.

The social at Mr. Ike Foster's night was a pleasant affair.

Misses V. G. Barnett and Sherman Williams attended the social at Mr. Ike Foster's.

The Sunday School Celebration at Walton's Creek was largely attended.

Plenty of dinner was on hand, notwithstanding the hard times and everything passed off pleasantly.

**DAISY.**

Miss Olive Carson, who has been visiting friends in this community, has returned to her home in Hartford.

Mr. I. N. Duke and family attended Quarterly meeting at Bethel Sunday.

Misses Georgia and Flora Coppage, Messrs. Mann Leach, Sammie Hohmeyer, Eddie York and Alva Carter attended the funeral at Shadrows School-house last Sunday.

Mr. C. Allen is having a dwelling house erected on his farm near this place.

Rev. Logan Martin filled Rev. J. B. Perryman's appointment at Victory last Sunday.

Miss Lena Carson, of Hartford, is visiting Miss Georgia Price this week.

Miss Viola Pirtle, of Beaver Dam, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Pirtle.

Messrs. George L. Johnston, Alvin Johnston, Sulphur Springs, attended church at Victory Sunday.

Mr. John Dodson, of near Whitesville, spent Sunday with friends in this community.

Mr. Charles Ellis spent Saturday and Sunday in this neighborhood, the guest of Miss Katie Coombes.

Miss Katie Pirtle and Mr. T. P. Carson, of Heflin, visited friends in this community Saturday and Sunday.

Quite a number of Washington's young people attended the baptizing near here Sunday.

**SUNNY DALE.**

Uncle Frank, our little boat that plowed the waters of upper Rough River, sunk last week, caused by the water being turned loose from Renfrow's and Moore's Mill and catching one end on the bank while the other went under. It is hoped that it will be in running order in a few days.

Mr. John Willis the hustling young

merchant at this place, went to Louisville last week to lay in a stock of goods. He returned Friday.

Sunday a company of young people composed of the following: Misses Mollie and Sallie Renfrow, Sallie and Annie Baker, and Dee Bean, Messrs. Charlie Baker, Cullie Acton, Byron Bean, A. B. and Will Renfrow, after taking dinner at Mr. W. R. Bean's, visited the Slate Ripple Hills and after viewing the surrounding country for some time from this most beautiful ridge the young people started for the Sulphur Springs. They report a good time and an enjoyable day.

Miss Flay Duke attended church at Bethel Sunday.

A big game of base ball will be played at the Sulphur Springs on July 21. **HONEST SAM.**

**Water Melons.**

The first of the season, are now for sale by Tracy & Son.

**Teachers.**

You will find the nicest and most refreshing drinks at W. G. Hardwick's, corner opposite the Post-office.

**To Oklahoma.**

Dr. and Mrs. A. B. Baird, notice of whose marriage appeared in these columns last week, spent only a short time in Evansville after the nuptials, when they went to St. Louis and from there to Oklahoma City, Oklahoma, where they contemplate making their future home. Our people regret very much to lose them, but the best of wishes follow them wherever they go.

Dr. Baird is a man of far more than ordinary ability, one of the leading physicians of this part of the State, and a man of much worth. He will succeed anywhere.

Mrs. Baird, nee Duke, is a beautiful and accomplished young woman, and worthy the man of her choice. She was a favorite in Hartford, and all join in wishing the twain a prosperous and happy future.

**BEDA.**

William Woodward, of Owensboro, was the guest of W. A. Carson Sunday.

L. N. Ford, our enterprising blacksmith, is going to take a trip through the upper part of this county on legal business. He will visit Magan, Fordsville, Sulphur Springs and Hines' Mill before he returns.

Prof. C. M. Hicks is in our village to-day.

Rev. Winkler filled his regular appointment here Sunday.

Wheat threshing is the order of the day.

We had a good rain yesterday. William C. Bennett and wife are visiting Mrs. Nancy Park.

Mrs. W. A. Carson visited her sister, Mrs. Kit Carson, yesterday.

Mrs. David Herrell was the guest of Mrs. W. A. Carson Sunday.

Master Otis Carson and Mr. Dudley Daniel are on a visit to J. C. Herrell's at this writing.

GEN. ROUST-A-ROUT.

**Important, Teachers**

You will have to have a good place to stay next week during the Institute. The Commercial Hotel is the place for you to go to get the very best to eat, and the very best accommodations. Mr. J. R. Herald will take special pains to entertain you while you are there. Rates reasonable.

**CONCORD.**

Miss Olive Carson, who has been visiting friends in this community, has returned to her home in Hartford.

Mr. Andy Metcalf is building a new blacksmith shop at this place.

Miss Tullie Haynes is on the sick list this week.

Misses Dora P. and Ethel Bruner will entertain a few friends Saturday night and all anticipate a pleasant time.

Miss Simpson, of Attnaville, has a very bad case of typhoid fever.

Mrs. Floyd, of Whitesville, is visiting her son, H. T. Floyd, of this place.

It is a very busy time now. You can hear the hum of the thrasher and the click of the mowing machines all around.

Rev. B. F. Jenkins preached a very interesting sermon Saturday at Sourwood School-house. **EILLAH.**

**MAMMOTH CAVE.**

The extent of this, the greatest of known caverns,—accepting the figures given by a State geological survey,—is estimated at hundreds of acres, through which wind two hundred and twenty-three avenues, with an aggregate length of from one hundred and fifty to two hundred miles, and diversified by forty-seven domes, twenty-three pits, eight waterfalls and several bodies of water, of which three are termed rivers two are nominally lakes and one sea. The avenues average twenty-one feet in height and width and it is estimated that twelve million cubic yards of limestone have been displaced in their formation. The cave has five levels, the upper tiers being remarkably dry, while the drainage level and consequent lowest depth is placed at three hundred and twenty-eight feet below the surface.

Everybody should embrace the opportunity afforded by this excursion to Mammoth Cave, to be run on the C. O. & W. R. R., August 16th, at hard times price. Excursion tickets, including transportation to the cave and return trip through the long and short routes and one and one quarter days board at the Mammoth Cave Hotel, will be sold at the low rate of \$12.50 from Beaver Dam.

For further particulars and information with illustrated pamphlet of Mammoth Cave write or call on any agent of the C. O. & W. R. R.

T. B. LYNCH,

Gen. Passenger Agent.

Attorney J. H. Nichols, and Mack Smith, Louisville, were in Hartford yesterday.

Mrs. E. D. Guffy and daughter, Miss Mercedes, attended the Leitchfield picnic Wednesday.

Dr. W. G. Hunter, Burkville, and Dr. A. D. James, Penrod, were in town yesterday morning.

Mr. Jo. Foster, Kinderhook, who has had typhoid fever, for some time, is thought to be somewhat improved.

Wes Calahan was arrested Wednesday, charged with stealing a watch from John Duvall, and was released on a \$100 bond which he executed. The trial comes up to-day.

Mr. Shelby Taylor, of the firm of Heavin & Taylor, Attorneys, has rented the Hardwick property, on Union Street, and will move in soon. Hartford cordially welcomes him and his estimable lady.

The family of Mr. Sam Johnson, who have been living in Hartford the past two or three years, will leave next week for Princeton, where they will make their future home. Their stay in Hartford has won for them many friends who very much regret their departure.

The Fordsvilles came up and they and the home team had a lively bout for six innings in a game of baseball. Battery for the visitors—Cast and Truman: for the home team—Hunter and Meredith.

The game was called on the account of rain with the Leitchfield hotels and boarding houses were taxed to their utmost capacity to entertain the people.

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The rain began falling about 4 o'clock and continued until after 5. It was a fine rain, and in mud, wet clothing and high spirits the big crowds at the Park and ball ground dispersed. It was a field day for the pleasant little city of Leitchfield and she did herself glorious.

Don't forget the races to-morrow at the Fair Grounds.

**The Hartford Water Mills**

Will receive sealed bids for the next ten days for the delivery of 4,000 bushels of good merchantable coal to be delivered by the last of August. The right is reserved of receiving or rejecting all bids. J. W. FORD & CO.

**Beds.**

Beds plays the Mineral Springs team at Centertown to-morrow.

Cooke will do the pitching for the visitors, and Leach or Ellis the catching. Quite a lively game may be expected.

**Tent Meeting.**

The Missionaries of the Daviess County Association, W. D. Cox and C. G. Taylor, are holding a series of meetings 4 miles West of Beech Grove and are having fine success.

Ed. F. W. Wittenbraker will preach next Sunday at Concord, 5 miles East of Hartford, instead of Bro. Cox, the pastor.

**CLEAR RUN.**

July 17.—Health in this community generally good.

W. H. Newcomb, who has been suffering with a chronic disease for the last six months, died at his home July 13th. He was a good and prosperous farmer. His funeral was preached by Revs. J. J. Bean and B. Perryman in the grove near the house before a large host of friends. After services his remains were taken to the burying ground that he had selected on his place. He leaves a wife and nine children to mourn his loss.

A FRIEND.

**MAMMOTH CAVE.**

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## THE HAND-ME-DOWN.

Mr. Dressgoode and His Story-Made Coat

The Garment Causes Considerable Trouble at First, But a Try-Outer's Nicely Plastered and a Patches Effect a Very Speedy Transformation.

Young Mr. Dressgoode, who holds a responsible position with a big dry goods house, had his wages reduced recently, because of the financial depression, his employers said, and he was obliged to change some of his plans in consequence. He had fully intended to get a sixty-dollar overcoat, but long in the prevailing style, but he decided that he could not afford it, and he cast about for something cheaper.

One of his friends told him of a place where the best ready-made coats could be bought. Mr. Dressgoode went over to look at them. He found one that fitted him perfectly and looked fully as good as the sixty-dollar coat he had set his heart on. It cost just half of sixty dollars, and, after many trials and many parades before the looking-glass, Mr. Dressgoode decided to buy it.

In due time the coat was sent to Mr. Dressgoode's boarding place. On Sunday morning he went forth arrayed in all its navy blue splendor. He started out all right, but after he had gone a block or two he was conscious that something was wrong with his coat. It switched around his legs and tangled his feet up. One side of it seemed to bind badly, and the tails, instead of hanging decorously behind, walloped around in a trying and scandalous manner. Mr. Dressgoode was obliged to unbuckle it before he could continue his walk to church.

When he got back he examined the coat carefully, but could find nothing wrong with it. Next morning he took it down to the store with blood in his eye. "Here," he said to the proprietor, "there's something the matter with this coat."

"What is it?" inquired the proprietor, suavely.

"Why, it binds me around the legs when I'm walking, and makes it very difficult as well as very ungraceful for me to get along."

"Hum!" said the proprietor; "I can't imagine what is the matter. Let me see it." He took the coat and looked it over carefully. "Leave it here," he said, "and we will send it up this afternoon."

The coat came back, and Mr. Dressgoode made another effort to wear it. It tripped him up in the hallway and almost sent him down the front stairs headlong. Mr. Dressgoode tore it off and stamped on it.

"Why, Mr. Dressgoode!" said the pretty stenographer from the country who has a room on the same floor, "what on earth is the matter?"

Mr. Dressgoode mumbled a few inarticulate words, and then remembered where he was, and told the young woman how the beastly garment acted.

"Why don't you take it down to the store?" she asked.

"I've been there twice with it," said Mr. Dressgoode, "and now I'm going to take it down there again and demand my money back."

The pretty stenographer from the country inquired as to all the vagaries of the coat. Then she asked Mr. Dressgoode to let her see it. She examined it carefully, and then began to laugh. "Let me take your penknife," she said.

"You're not going to cut it, I hope," said Mr. Dressgoode, fearfully.

"Let me take your knife," demanded the pretty stenographer from the country.

Mr. Dressgoode took it, and she made a quick jab at the tail of the coat. "Now try it," she said, handing it back.

Mr. Dressgoode put the coat on and walked a few steps. It hung gracefully from his shoulders, and the tails did not bind or flap a particle.

"What on earth did you do?" he asked, amazed.

"Why," she said, simply, "these tails were held together by a bit of thread to keep it in shape when it was packed, I suppose. I cut that thread."

"Well, I'll be—blown!" said Mr. Dressgoode; "and those chumps down at the store didn't know that."

Now, the proper conclusion of this story would be the marriage of the pretty stenographer from the country and Mr. Dressgoode. But nothing of the kind happened. Mr. Dressgoode bought her a bunch of yellow chrysanthemums and let it go at that, and she was perfectly satisfied.—Buffalo Express.

### The Course of a Bullet.

Prof. Keen says the entrance and exit of a ball from a gun or revolver can often be determined in the following manner: When the ball enters the body it is black with grease and powder, and on striking the skin this is wiped off, and, therefore, leaves a dirty black mark on the skin, and, being clean when it comes out, it does not leave a mark.

### SPREAD BY DOGS.

Starting Statistics from France Regarding Consumption.

At the Protestant congress at Havre, held to study social questions in a practical manner, Dr. Gilbert, who is a "consumptive" specialist, said that drunkards are particularly subject to it. The subject of dogs as a means of propagating consumption was also gone into. A report of Prof. Cadot, of the veterinary school of Alfort, shows that they must often be a vehicle for spreading it. He had long treated dogs suffering from tuberculosis for cancer, but latterly the microscope showed him what the disease was. Between the 14th of last March and the 7th of April eight dogs died at Alfort of tuberculosis. From October 1, 1891, to August 1, 1893, he made forty post mortems out of nine thousand, and found in all the forty cases tuberculosis the cause of death. The disease is very catching from a dog. It originates in the intestinal mucus,

decayed bone eat bones picked by tubercular patients and lick up what they leave on the plates. They also keep about them, if attached to them, and in this way some get affected through the lungs. If the dog is often contaminated by the human patient he in turn spreads the disease to other human beings!—London Dispatch.

### Speed of Telephonic Speech.

Where the telephone wires are overlaid the speed of transmission is at the rate of 16,000 miles a second; where the wires are through cables under the sea the speed is not more than 4,000 miles a second.

### A Town on Wheels.

The most curious city in the world is situated on Saginaw bay, an arm of Lake Huron. It is without a name, has a population of about five hundred, and consists of modern huts on wheels, to the number of one hundred and fifty, which, when the fishing season arrives, are rolled on the ice in the bay.

### BOSTON SYNTAX.

Economy Alone a Sufficient Reason for Breaking It.

The telegraph operators were telling stories again. The tall man, who has held a key all over the country, had the floor.

"You see a good many jokes in the papers," said he, "about the culture of Boston and the habit people living there have of using big words and correct grammar and all that. Most of you think that the cigarette is far more injurious. Few men really enjoy seeing the woman smoke for whom they care most. It is all very well at the gay little dinner after the play, or the lively supper in free-and-easy Bohemia. And it does seem cozy and jolly to see some other fellow's wife smoke with her husband; but for the little woman at home, whom his children call mother, even while he rather urges her to have a cigarette for company, in his secret heart he glad she refuses, and because he knows she will refuse is the reason why he invites her so persistently to share his confidences with my Lady Nicotine.—N. Y. Advertiser.

### WOMEN SMOKERS.

Cigarettes and the Fair Lips of Europe's Aristocracy.

Mrs. Crawford, journalist, of Paris, says that the cigarette has not yet found its way with after-dinner coffee into the official drawing room, but it soon will. At all the homes setting up to style it is served at intimate breakfasts and small and lively dinners. Nobody is shocked when a lady smokes not merely one cigarette, but two or three. A minister of Queen Christina is responsible for the report that that highly respectable and respected lady is an inveterate and a veteran smoker.

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### GENEROUS WOMEN.

Some of Their Contributions to the Cause of Education.

A committee of the Association of College Alumnae has made a table showing the sums given by women during the last thirteen years to colleges for men only, for women only and for men and women together. In spite of the fact that in 1880, with which year the report begins, Vassar college was already fifteen years old, and that the desirability of the higher education for women was therefore already patent, it appears that the generous zeal with which women, ever since the days of Lady Anne Radcliffe Moulton, have contributed to the education of men has in no wise abated. During this time women have given five times as much for the education of men alone as for the education of women alone, and have given nearly twice as much for men's colleges as for women's colleges and mixed colleges put together. During only two of these thirteen years has Harvard college failed to receive considerable gifts from women, and the total amount received by Harvard alone exceeds the amount received by all the women's colleges put together. If all the men whose education has been facilitated by the self-denial of women were to emulate this extraordinary open-handedness on the part of the more generous sex, then indeed the woman's college would be amply supplied with the funds they so much need. Perhaps the most extraordinary gift this generation has seen is the legacy just made to Harvard College by the widow of the late Lewis Hayden, of Boston, both born into slavery and ransomed by flight. Mrs. Hayden's will devotes a considerable sum to the founding of a scholarship for needy colored students at Harvard, preferably in the medical school.—N. Y. Post.

**MARY MAGDALENE'S GRAVE.**  
The greatest natural curiosity I ever saw," said Charles North, "is on Raccoon mountain, near the point where the state lines of Georgia, Alabama and Tennessee unite. There is a cave there which has never been explored, in which the acoustic properties are such as to make the human voice echo back in groans from every direction, and even when no sound from without the cave is uttered, the air in the corridors and rooms of the cavern is so distributed as to keep up a constant moaning. The only opening that has ever been discovered is on top of the mountain, and is barely large enough to admit a man's body. A line dropped down reveals that the chamber, of which this entrance is in the roof or ceiling, is over one hundred feet deep, and, from the echoes, it must be very large. The only way to enter it would be to let down with a rope or a long extension ladder, there being no passageway as yet discovered. The people in the neighborhood suppose it to be haunted on account of the sounds issuing from it, and there is an Indian legend that a race preceding their tribes were shut up there by the Great Spirit, who had become angry with them. The formation is not unlike that of the country adjacent to the Mammoth cave in Kentucky, and the one I speak of is undoubtedly larger than that."—Globe-Democrat.

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continued the tall operator, "illustrates one of the curious ways in which a woman's mind works."—Buffalo Express.

### A Fountain for Dogs and Horses.

Mrs. Marie Guise Newcomb, who ranks high among the artists of New York city as an animal painter, some time ago painted a picture showing two horses drinking at the fountain in front of the S. P. C. A. headquarters on Fourth avenue. Mrs. Newcomb, in accordance with her previously declared intention, ordered a drinking fountain, to be placed for the money received for the painting.

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### THE MAN WHO FORGETS.

He is to Be Pitied, But the Fault Can Easily Be Cured.

There is no more aggravating person in the world than the one who is eternally forgetting things. "I find it so hard to remember names," wails a pretty woman, and her sympathizers arise in scores.

Now why on earth should it be hard to remember names? Why should it be hard to remember any common occurrence? People remember what they want to—that is, when they concentrate their minds upon a thing it is not apt to elude them. The trouble is that they will not do this. It requires a certain amount of exertion, that is true. But is the gain nothing? Unless a woman is ill in body or mind there is no reason why she should not remember anything she wishes to. The mind is capable of great concentration, and a good memory depends upon it.

Begin by forcing the mind at night to recall the events of the day, logically and in their order. Give up making notes of matters requiring attention, and compel the mind to recall these details. Cultivate a habit of close observation of every little detail of surrounding. Learn to listen carefully to names, dates, events as they occur and study

what is at first an irksome task becomes a pleasure.—Boston Herald.

### COUNTERFEIT COINS.

A German Who Engraved Dies for Upward of Three Hundred Types.

Among the counterfeiter of comparatively modern times the German Becker stands preeminent. With incredible skill he engraved dies for upward of three hundred types of coins, principally Roman, and as many as twenty of these were struck in gold—metal that does not change in appearance with time—he realized large sums from unwary collectors.

Becker was man of resource and with some sense of humor.

How to take off the appearance of newness from the freshly-struck coins was a question of difficult solution. He solved it thus: He had a small box constructed which he partly filled with iron filings and screwed to the springs of his carriage, and in that box he placed his newly-struck coins and then, as he expressed it, "took his old gentleman a drive" on the road between Frankfort and Offenbach.

The coins came out of the box still fresh, but with the too glaring bloom of youth judiciously toned down. At length the market was overdone with his productions, and Becker, having

ceased to counterfeit, now sold complete sets of imitations in lead from his dies to the museums and collectors who had formerly purchased his forgeries, so that there might be no difficulty in identifying what was his handiwork.

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